## CONDITION OF THE MARKETS

Chicago Market Opened Strong and Active but Was Forced to Decline Later.

Bradstreet's and Other Reports Made the Supply Extremely Heavy and Crops Promised a Still Greater Yield-Corn Stronger.

MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

End of the Outward Movement of Gold Affects the Market Favorably. NEW YORK, June 13 .- Money on call was easy, with all loans at 212 per cent., clos-

ing offered at 212. Prime mercantile paper, 512@7 per cent. Sterling exchange was quiet and steady at \$4.85 for sixty-day bills and \$4.88 for de-

mand. The total sales of stock to-day were 107,415 shares, including the following: Atchison, 20,800; Louisville & Nashville, 4,630; Northern Pacific preferred, 2,618; Richmond & West Point, 1,850; St. Paul, 19,845; Union

Pacific, 7,880. The stock market to-day displayed more activity and more strength during the two hours of business than at any previous time during the week, and prices at the close were generally at highest points since close of last week. The that the drain on th resources of the has entirely ended, at least for the present has created a more confident feeling in speculative circles, and the effort to cover "shorts" this morning, with a little free buying, made the liveliest and strongest market for some time. The expectation that the bank statement would show a material increase in the plus reserve was not disappointed and a gain of over \$3,000,000 puts that item at over \$10,000,000 again. The dealings in the market, however, presented no marked change from those of the previous days of this week, and were still confined principally to the grangers, industrials and a few other stocks which have an international market, although the foreign operations were insignificant. The make a rather sharp upward movement in the first hour. Union Pacific leading the advance, closely followed by St. Paul, Burlington, Rock Island, Pacific Mail and some others. The general list also developed some special features, and Jersey Central. Evansville & Terre Haute and one or two others made sharp gains on small transactions. The issue of the bank statement confirmed the expectations, and while there was no furthur material upward movement, the best prices were well held and the close was made at the highest figures, though quite. The final changes show gains all along the line of large fractions. Jersy Central and Union Pacific are up 11s

Government bonds were dull and steady State bonds were neglected. Closing quo-Four per ct. reg...1174 Lead Trust...... 187
Pour per ct. coup..1184 Louis. & Nash..... 744
Four and 4s reg.. 100 L. & N. Albany.....237 Pacific 6s of '95...109 Missouri Pacific.... 693 N. J. Central.....1103 Adams Express....146 Northern Pacific... 244 Alton & T. H......3018 N. Pacific pref ..... 68 C., C., C. & St. L....63 Pullman Palace...181 Lack. & W ... 1355 Rock Island ... Lake Shore......11014 Western Union.....8114

per cent. each, and Pacific Mail, 1 per cent

ive and retained the firm tone develope

yesterday with a revival of interest in the

Atchison incomes, though there was, as

usual, no material changes in quotations

established among the active issues. The

trading for the two hours reached \$340,000.

which was well and widely distributed.

Railroad bonds were comparatively act-

LONDON, June 13.-Bar silver, 445sd pe The weekly bank statement shows the following changes:

Reserve, increase......\$3,797,225 decrease...... 3,201,800 Specie, increase..... Legal tenders, increase...... 2,946,400 

The banks now hold \$10,748,755 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule.

TRADING AT CHICAGO.

Early Strength Not Borne Out by the Later Foreign Reports.

CHICAGO, June 13.-For the first few minutes after opening the leading markets gave every indication of strength. There was good buying and considerable action, and a quick advance made in all pits. But after the first half hour the buying slackened, confidence became impaired and early purchasers began to sell out, and there was a sharp drop all along the line. Cables were easy, and fine crop weather was reported both in this country and in e. Bradstreet's reported the exports from both coasts for the week at 2,191,000 bu, and 94,478,000 bu since July, against 102,000,000 for the same time in 1890. The same authority reported the decrease in the available supply during May at 7,969,000 bushels against 7,300,000 as the average reduction in May for the past three years. July wheat opened at 9512@9534c, against 96c at the close yesterday. There were large buying orders from New York and the execution of these caused a quick advance to 961sc, which proved to be the top figure of the day. Logan, Cottrell and Kennett bought rather freely at the start, but on the advance they began to sell with Cottrell in the lead. Private cables seemed weaker than the public advices, and this, with magnificent crop weather, gradually developed a "bear" feeling, accompanied by "short" selling, and the sacrifice of "long" property. After holding for a time in the neighborhood of 95% @95%c, there was a slump to 94%c. A recovery to 9434 took place be-fore the close with an easy tone the finish. Corn started off a little lower, with July at 55@554c, but the buying was very "short" and there was hardly any business until it rose to 55%c, which was paid in less than five minntes after the opening, and it soon touched Isc. But at this point it came to a halt. the selling became aggressive, Boyden & Co., Norton, Worthington and others being active on the side. Fine growing weather, large estimated receipts for Monday and advices of increased loadings at primary points, increased the feeling of weakness, and prices dropped off to 54c, but railied to 543sc at the close.

The action in oats was still controlled by the fluctuations in corn. Starting at 4034c for July, there was an advance to 414c, a drop to 39c and a rally to 3914c. and also partook of the subsequent weak-ness. Ream and Cudahy sold freely on the

Provisions shared in the early strength, advance, and Armour was a moderate buyer. September pork opened unchanged at \$10.3712, advanced to \$10.45, receded to | to fancy native steers, \$5.10@6; Texans and \$10.2712, and closed at \$10.30, a loss compared with yesterday's close of 71ge. Lard was stronger, opening at an advance of .0212c, rising .05c more, reacted .0712c and closed at an advance of .05c. Ribs closed with a loss of .0212c. The leading futures

Options.	Op'ning	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Vheat-June.	97	97	9519	9578
July	9512	9618	9436	9434
Aug	93	9312	92	92
Corn-June	58	5814	5619	5678
July	55	561s	54	5439
Aug	5429	547H	527g	5318
Date -June	4134	42	3934	40
July	40%	4114	39	8914
Aug	3410	34 34	3378	34
ork-July	\$10.16	\$10.25	\$10.05	\$10.0719
Sept	10,3712	10.45	10.2712	
ard-July	6,15	6.15	6,1210	
Sept	6,35	6.40	6.3212	6.3719
h'tribs-July	5,85	5.8719	5,8210	5.8219
Sept		6.1212	6.071	
Cash quote	tions w	ere as 1	follows:	Flour

63@65c; No. 4, f. o. b., 60c; No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.10; prime timothy-seed, \$1.27@1.28; mess pork, per brl, \$10; lard, per pound, 6.05@ 6.071gc; short-rib sides (loose) 5.75@5.80c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 5@5.10c; short-clear sides (boxed), 6.25@6.80c; whisky, distillers' finished goods Pgal, \$1.16; sugars unchanged

On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the butter market was steady and unchanged. Eggs, 14@15c.

Receipts—Flour, 13,000 brls; wheat, 41,000 bu; corn, 122,000 bu; oats, 160,000 bu; rye, 4,000 bu; barley, 6,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 5,000 brls; wheat, 102,000 bu; corn, 273,000 bu; oats, 118,000 bu; rye, 8,000 bu; barley, 2,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, June 13.-Flour-Receipts. 12,440 packages; exports, 4,458 brls, 8,895 sacks. The market was dull and heavy, Sales, 14,100 brls. Corn-meal steady and

dull: vellow Western, \$3.25@3.85. Wheat-Receipts, 196,500 bu; exports, 76,-151 bu; sales, 1,328,000 bu futures, 81,000 bu spot. The spot market was weaker and quiet; No. 2 red, \$1.0734@1.08 in store and in elevator, \$1.0938 afloat, \$1.0834@1.1034 f. o. b.; ungraded, \$1.04% @1.09%; No. 1 Northern, to arrive, \$1.104: No. 1 hard, to arrive, \$1.1334; No. 2 Chicago, \$1.07. Options changed only slightly and wholly from local speculation, declining early 1803sc, reacting 40120, closing weak at 40340 under yesterday; No. 2 red, June closing at \$1.0718; July. \$1.05@1.0558, closing at \$1.0518; August, \$1.01 5/16@1.021s, closing at \$1.013s; September, \$1.014, closing at \$1.0134; October, \$1.012001.0134, closing at \$1.0128; November closing at \$1.0178; December, \$1.02 7/16@1.03 5/16, closing at \$1.0258; May, 1892, \$1.065, @1.071s, closing at \$1.065s.

Rye was quiet and steady. Barley malt dull: Canada, country-made, \$1@1.05. Corn-Receipts, 51,700 bu: exports, 61,724

bu; sales, 680,000 bu futures, 171,000 bu spot. The spot market was steady and fairly active; No. 2, 66<sup>1</sup>2c in elevator, 67<sup>1</sup>2c afloat; ungraded mixed, 65@67<sup>1</sup>2c. Options opened <sup>1</sup>4c lower, advanced <sup>1</sup>2@<sup>3</sup>4c and closed weak at <sup>1</sup>8@<sup>1</sup>4c under yesterday, wholly through local manipulation; July, 61 11/16@ 62 9/16c, closing at 617se; August, 607s@6112c. closing at 607sc; September 601s@600sc. closing at 601sc.

bu; sales, 60,000 bu futures, 59,000 bu spot. The spot market was dull and heavy. Options were dull, lower and weak; June closing at 464c; July, 464, @4634c, closing at 46 4c; August, 4034@41c, closing at 4034c; September, 3734@38c, closing at 3734c; spot No. 2 white, 491ge; mixed Western, 44@ 49c; white Western, 50@60c; No. 2 Chicago.

Hay steady; shipping, 45@55c; good to choice, 55@75c. Hops dull and steady; State, common to choice, 25@82c; Pacific

Coffee-Options opened steady from un-changed to 10 points down, and closed barely steady from 5 points down to 10 points up. Sales, 26,750 bags, including the following: July, 16,10@16,20e; August, 15.55 15.70c; September, 15.05@15.20c; October, 14.55@14.65c; November, 14.80c; December, 14 @14.05c; spot Rio dull and steady; fair cargoes, 19c; No. 7, 1718@1714c. Sugar—Raw quiet and steady; sales, 150 bhds muscovado, 89 test, at 2 13/16c; refined more active and steady. Molasses—Foreign quiet at 1212 @13c for 50 test, in hogsheads; New Orleans dull and steady; common to fancy, 25@35c. Rice steady and quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 5@634c; Japan, 5%4@6c.

Cotton-seed oil steady and dull; crude, off grade, 25@29e; yellow, off grade, 33@36c. Tallow steady and quiet. Rosin quiet and steady; strained, common to good, \$1.45@

Eggs quiet and steady; Western, 1612@ 1634c; recepts, 8.985 packages. Hides dull and firm; wet-salted New Oreans, selected. 45@75 lbs, 6@8c; Texas, seected, 50@60 fbs. 6@80.

Pork quiet and steady; old mess, \$10.50@ 11.50; new mess, \$12@12.50; extra prime, \$11. Cut meats duli and steady: pickled bellies, 53sc; pickled shoulders, 47sc; pickled hams, 912@934c Middles dull and weak; short clear, 6.40c. Lard stronger and in moderate demand; Western steam, 6.82\(^1\_2\)c. Options—
Sales, 4,000 tierces; July, 6.33\(^0\_6\).36c, closing
at 6.34c bid; August, 6.48c; September, 6.57c
\(^0\_6\).62c, closing at 6.61c bid; October, 6.72c.
Butter quiet and easy; Western dairy, 11
\(^0\_15c; Western creamery, 15\(^0\_18^1\_2c; Western factory, 11\(^0\_14^1\_2c; Elgins, 18^1\_4c. Cheese weak; part skims, 4@7c.

BALTIMORE, June 13. - Wheat-No. 2 red weak; spot, \$1.06@1.06%; June, \$1.05\(\frac{1}{4}\)@ 1.05\(\frac{1}{2}\); July, \$1.03\(\frac{1}{4}\)@1.03\(\frac{1}{2}\); August, \$1.01\(\frac{1}{4}\)@ 1.01\(\frac{3}{8}\); September, \$1.00\(\frac{1}{4}\)@1.00\(\frac{1}{2}\); steamer No. 2 red, \$1.08\(\frac{1}{2}\); receipts, 40.250 bu; shipments, 103,826 bu; stock, 151,536 bu; sales, 180,000 bu. Corn—Mixed easy; spot, 6312@ 64c; July, 6158@62c; spot No. 2 white, 6412c; receipts, 4,643 bu; shipments, 25,663 bu; stock, 278,948 bu; sales, 1,000 bu. Oats dull; No. 2 white Western, 52@53c; No. 2 mixed Western, 52c; receipts, 2,000 bu; shipments, none; stock, 91,250 bu. Rye nominal; No. 2, 95c; receipts, 600 bu; shipments, none; stock, 4,375 bu. Hay firm; good to choice timothy, \$12@13.50. Provisions unchanged. Eggs.

LIVE STOCK.

16-2c. Coffee unchanged.

Cattle a Shade Stronger-Hogs Active an Higher-Sheep Barely Steady. INDIANAPOLIS, June 13.-CATTLE-Re-Receipts, 100; shipments, 200. There were but few fresh arrivals, and the market a

shade stronger on decent to good grades. The yards were well cleared at the close. Good to choice heifers..... 3.75 @4.25 Fair to medium heifers..... 3.00@3.60 Light, thin heifers..... 2.50 @3.00 food to choice cows..... Fair to medium cows..... 

Hogs-Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,200. Quality fair. Market active and a shade higher; closed steady. Heavy..... \$4.40@4.50

Mixed 4.35 @ 4.45 Light 4.25 @ 4.45 Heavy roughs 3.50 @ 4.00 SHEEP AND LAMBS-Receipts, 300; shipments, 200. But little doing for the want of stock. Market barely steady. Common clipped. Spring lambs (40 to 70 lbs)..... Bucks, ₩ head..... 2.50@4.00

Elsewhere CINCINNATI, June 13.-Cattle in light demand and quiet. Common, \$1,50@3; fair to choice butcher grades, \$3.50@5; prime to choice shippers, \$4.50@5.50. Receipts, 5,500; shipments, 3,100.

Hogs in light supply; slow and easy. Common and light, \$3.75@4.45; packing and butchers'. \$4.85@4.70. Receipts, 990; shipments, 3,840. Sheep in light demand and easy. Common to choice, \$3,25@4.75; extra fat wethers and yearlings, \$5@5.25. Receipts, 34,700; shipments, 30,230.

Lambs-Supply large; easy. Common to choice, \$4.25@6.75. ST. LOUIS. June 13 .- Cattle-Receipts, 200; shipments, 1,500. Market higher. Good Indians, \$2.90@5.

Hogs-Receipts, 1,100; shipments, 4,900, Market firm. Fair to choice heavy, \$4.40@ 4.50; mixed grades, \$4@4.45; light, fair to best, \$4.25@4.45. Sheep-Receipts, 1,600; shipments, 2,500. Market strong. Fair to fancy, \$3.25@5. KANSAS CITY, June 13 .- Cattle-Receipts, 1,810; shipments, 600. Market for na-

tives steady to strong; Texans steady. steers, \$3.25@6; cows, \$1.90@4; stockers and feeders, \$2.60@4.25. Hogs-Receipts, 3,990; shipments, 1,780. The market was 5c higher. Bulk. \$4.20@ 4.30; all grades, \$3.80@4.85. Sheep-Receipts, 90; shipments, 470. The market was steady.

BUFFALO, June 18,-Cattle slow. Reseipts, 101 car-loads through. Hogs strong and firmer for Yorkers, oth-

steers, \$5.65@5.75; others, \$4.50@5.50; Texane, \$2,50@5; cows, \$1,50@3.25. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; shipments, 6,000. The market was active. Rough and common, \$4@4.10; packers, \$4.30@4.40; prime heavy and butchers' weights, \$4.50@4.55; light, \$4.50@4.55. Sheep-Receipts, 500; shipments, none. The market was steady. Texans, \$8.50@ 4.85; natives, \$4.50@5.50; Westerns, \$4.65@ 5.25; lambs, \$5.50@7.

INDIANAPOLIS MARKETS. Trade Improving Gradually as the Month

Advances. INDIANAPOLIS, June 13.-The trade of June thus far has been disappointing, although the last three days of the week closing to-day a decided improvement has been noticeable, and, should the weather continue summer-like, the shortcomings of trade in the early part of the month will doubtless be overcome. The last few days, in many lines, prices have ruled easier, and, in some cases, broken badly, especially in fruits. The hide market continues dull; prices weak. Hog products are in good demand, and the tendency is to higher prices on some descriptions. Receipts of poultry and eggs are large for June, yet prices on a good demand are well sustained. Not in many years have eggs in June sold for shipping at 18 cents and hens at 8 cents. Young chickens are more plenty and prices a little easier. Old and new Irish potatoes are in light supply, and very firm at the advance of Thursday. New potatoes, the coming week, will likely become more plenty, and a break in the market is looked for in the near future. Cabbages are easier. New growths from Louisville are on the market, but many of the heads are small and of little value. Grocers are quite busy, and all staple articles, for several days past, have been firm and steady in price. The sales of sugars are large beyond precedent. In other markets there is little new to note.

Tameness is the leading characteristic of the local grain market. Prices on all cereals rule easier. No 2 red wheat declined to 9612e, and several grades of corn were off 12 cent on Friday's prices. Track bids to-day ruled as follows:

Wheat—No. 2 red, 9612c; No. 3 red, 93c; rejected, 75@85c; unmerchantable, 60@70c. Corn-No. 1 white, 62c; No. 2 white, 60c; color; No. 2 yellow, 50c; No. 3 yellow, 55c; No. 2 mixed, 5612c; sound ear, 5512c. Oats-No. 2 white, 47c; No. 3 white,

45c; No. 2 mixed, 45c; rejected, 45c. Bran-Local dealers are bidding \$13.50. Hay—Timothy, choice, \$13; No. 1, \$12; No. 2, \$10; No. 1 prairie, \$7.50; No. 2 prairie, \$6.50; mixed hay, \$7.

Butter-Creamery, choice, 20@22c; choice country, 10c; common, 6@8c. Poultry-Hens, 80 P th; young chick-

ens, 12c P lb; turkeys, fat, choice hens, 8c # 1b; ducks, 60 # 1b; geese, \$3@4.20 per doz. Eggs-Shippers paying 12c; selling from store at 15c. Feathers-Prime geese, 35c 4 15: Beeswax-Dark, 18c; yellow, 20c.

Sheepskins-40c@\$1. Horse Hides \$2. Grease-White, 334c; yellow, 3c; brown,

Tailow-No. 1, 4c; No. 2, 312c. Wool-Tub-washed and picked, 35c; unwashed medium and common grades, if in good order, 22/2/24c; burry and cotted, 16/20 18c; fleeced-washed, if light and in good order, 28/2/30c; burry and unmerchantable, According to their value.

Hides—No. 1 G. S. hides, 512c; No. 2 G. S. hides, 412c; No. 1 green, 812c; No. 2 green,

Indianapolis Jobbing Trade. [The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesale dealers.]

CANNED GOODS. Peaches—Standard 8-pound, \$2.75@8.00; -pound seconds, \$2.65@2,75, Miscellaneous -Blackberries, 2-pound, \$1.10@1.20; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.30; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.40@2.50; seconds, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.25; coveoysters, 1-pound, fullweight, \$1.15@1.20; light, 80@85e; 2-pound, full, \$2.15@2.25; light, \$1.20; string beans, 85@95e; Lims beans, \$1.20@1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.20@1.40; small, \$1.50@1.75; lobsters, \$1.85 @2; red cherries, 95c@\$1.10; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (fbs), \$1.90@2.50.

Anthracite coal, stove size, \$7 \$\psi\$ ton; egg and grate size, \$6.75; Pittsburg and Raymond City, \$4.50 \$\psi\$ per ton; Jackson, \$4; block, \$3.50; Island City, \$8.25; Blossburg and Indiana Cannel, \$5. All nut coals 50 cents below above quotations. Coke—Connellsville, \$3.75 \$\psi \text{load}; \text{ crushed, \$3 \$\psi \text{ load}; \text{ load;} \text{ load;}

DRY GOODS Bleached Sheetings-Blackstone AA, 734c; Ballou & Son, 712c; Chestnut Hill, 512c; Cabot 4-4.7c; Chapman X, 6c; Dwight Star, 9c; Fruit of the Loom, 812c; Lonsdale, 812c; Linwood, 712c; Masonville, 812c; New York Mills, 1034c; Our Own, 534c; Pepperell 9-4, 20c; Pepperell 10-4, 22c; Hills, 734c; Hope, 712c;

Knight's Cambric, 8c; Lonsdale Cambric, 1012c; Whitinsville, 33-inch, 612c; Wamsutta, 1034c. Grain Bags—American, \$16.50; Atlantic, \$18; Franklinville, \$18.50; Lewiston, \$17.50; Cumberland, \$17; Grocers, \$18.50; Harmony, \$17; Ontario, \$16; Stark A, \$19.50.

Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 714c; Boott C, 512c; Agawam F, 512c; Bedford R, 5c; Augusta, 512c; Boott AL, 7c; Continental Angusta, 5\(^1\_2\)c: Boott AL. 7c; Continental C, 6\(^1\_2\)c; Dwight Star, 8c; Echo Lake, 6\(^1\_2\)c; Graniteville EE, 6\(^1\_2\)c; Lawrence LL, 5\(^1\_4\)c; Pepperell E. 7c; Pepperell R, 6\(^1\_4\)c; Pepperell 9-4, '8c; Pepperell 10-4, 20\(^1\)c; Utica 9-4, 22\(^1\_2\)c; Utica 10-4, 26\(^1\_2\)c; Utica C, 4\(^1\_2\)c.

Prints—American fancy, 5\(^1\_2\)c; Alien's fancy, 4\(^3\_4\)c; Allen's dark, 5c; Allen's pink, 4\(^3\_4\)c; Arnold's, 5\(^1\_2\)c; Berlin solid colors, 5\(^1\_2\)c; Cocheco, 4\(^3\_4\)c; Berlin solid colors, 5\(^1\_2\)c; Cocheco, 4\(^3\_4\)c; Berlin solid colors, 5\(^1\_2\)c; Cocheco, 4\(^3\_4\)c; Harmony, 4\(^1\_2\)c; Hamilton, 5\(^1\_2\)c; Greenwich, 5c; Knickerbocker, 5\(^1\_2\)c; Mallory pink, 6\(^1\_2\)c. Prices on dress styles irregular; devends on pattern.

Ginghams—Amoskeag, 6\(^3\)c; Bates, 6\(^1\_2\)c; Gloucester, 6\(^1\_4\)c; Glasgow, 6c; Lancaster, Gloucester, 614c; Glasgow, 6c; Lancaster, 634c; Ranelman's, 712c; Renfrew Madras, 812c; Cumberland, 6c; White, 612c; Bookfold,

Prime Cambrics-Manville, 6c; S. S. Son, 6c; Masonville, 6c; Garner, 6c. Tickings-Amoskeag ACA, 121gc; Conestoga BF, 14½c; Conestoga extra, 18½c; Conestoga Gold Medal, 18½c; Conestoga CCA, 12c; Conestoga AA, 10c; Conestoga X, 9c; Pearl River, 12c; Falls OBO, 82-inch, 12½c; Methuen AA, 12½c; Oakland A, 6½c, Swift River, 6½c; York, 32-inch, 12½c; York; 80-inch, 1012c.

Alcohol, \$2.31@2.45; assafætida, 15@20c; alum, 4@5c; camphor, 50@55c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, bris, 85c@\$1; cream tartar, pure, 30@35c; indigo, 86@81c; licorice, Calaba; genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., \$\P\$ oz, \$2.55; madder, 12@14c; oil, castor, \$\P\$ gal, \$1.20@1.25; oil, bergamot, \$\P\$ ib, \$3.75@4 opium, \$3.25; quinine, P. & W., \$\P\$ oz. 33@38c; balsam copaiba, 70@75c; soap, Castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, bicarb., 412@6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, flour, 4@6c; saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 46@48c; glycerine, 22@26c; iodide potass., \$2.85@3; bromide potass., 40@42c; chlorate potash, 25c; borax, 13@15c; cinchonidia, 12@15c; car-

bolic acid, 35@40c. Oils—Linseed oil, raw, 55@58c & gal; coal oil, legal test, 914@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 65c. Lard oils, No. 1, 50@55c; do., extra, 65@70c. White Lead—Pure, 734c.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. Raspberries-Black, \$2.50 \$2 case, twentyfour quarts; red, \$1.75 \$ case, twenty-four

Onions—Bermudas, \$2.75@3; Egyptian, \$1.75 P bushel. New Potatoes-\$5.50@6 2 barrel. Cherries—\$4 \$7 stand. Old Potatoes—\$1.30@1.40 \$7 bushel. Cucumbers—50c per dozen. Apples—Choice, \$1@8 \$ brl.

Green Peas—\$1 per bushel. Green Beans—\$1.50 per box. Strawberries-Indiana, 750@81 per crate of twenty-four quarts. Cabbage-Mobile, \$2.50@2.75 per crate; Florida cabbage, \$2.50 per crate FOREIGN FRUITS.

Bananas, \$1.25@2.25 \$\rightarrow\$ bunch. Lemons—Messina, choice, \$4.50 \$\rightarrow\$ box; fancy. \$5.25.
Oranges—Floridas, \$3.25@3.50 \$\rightarrow\$ box; California oranges, \$2.45@3 \$\rightarrow\$ box. Figs, 12

Lion, 2514c; Gates's Blended Java, 2514c; Arbuckle's, 2514c. Sugars—Hard, 4.44@512c; confectioners' A, 43s@4.44c; off A, 414@43sc; coffee A, 41s@414c; white extra C, 4@41sc; extra C, 37s@4c; good vellows, 834@37sc; fair yellows, 8.69@ 34c; common yellows, 85-@3.69c. Molasses and Syrups—New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 85@45c; choice, 45@55c. Syrups, 3 @42c.

Beans—Choice hand-picked navy, \$2.55@ 2.65 \$2 bu; medium hand-picked, \$2.60@ Wrapping-Paper — Light-weight straw, 234@3c \$\psi\$ light-weight rag, 234@3c \$\psi\$ light-rag, No. 1, 8@ \$\psi\$ light-rag, No. 1, 8@ \$\psi\$ light-rag, No. 1, 8@ \$\psi\$ light-rag, No. 2, 8. & 8., 8@9c; No. 1, 8. & C., 744@3c. \$\psi\$ light-rag, 242@3c \$\psi\$ light-rag, No. 2, 8. & 8., 8@9c; No. 1, 8. & C., 744@3c. \$\psi\$ light-rag, 242@3c \$\psi\$ light-rag, No. 2, 8. & 8., 8@9c; No. 1, 8. & C., 744@3c. \$\psi\$ light-rag, 242@3c \$

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6<sup>1</sup>2c; Wiener-wurst, 8<sup>1</sup>2c. Dry-salt and
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CATCHING AND SELLING BAIT. An Important Trade That Is Peculiar to the Coast People of Newfoundland.

Detroit Free Press. A very important trade in the small villages scattered along the coast of Newfoundiand is that of selling bait, and in many cases the catching of it forms the sole employment of the majority of men in those localities. Very early in the year the first bait purchased by the cod-fishers is frozen hering. The fish are caught in seines by the liviers, as the natives call the bait-dealers. They are trozen placed in the vessel's hold, where they are covered up and thus kept fresh for three or four weeks until the weather becomes too warm to allow of their use. Then it becomes necessary to put ice on the bait, which is placed in pens in the hold, a layer of chopped ice being spread between each layer of herring. About the middle of June a change in baiting is made, capelin—a small fish greatly resembling the smelt—being used. These are captured in small drag-seines made especially for the purpose. They are stowed away in the same manner as the herring. large quantities of ice being broken into small pieces and spread over them in the bait pens.

The most popular form of bait, however, is the squid. The liviers first begin angling for them in the latter part of July and continue until they disappear in October. At the beginning of the season they are taken in enormous quantities, so many being caught that in a single day a vessel can secure 30,000 or 40,000 of them without stopping in the harbor long enough to make it necessary to haul down her sails. The method of procuring this variety of bait is quite interesting, the only apparatus being a kind of hook called a jig. This consists of a stout line secured to a lead cylinder three inches long, fastened to which are several stout pins bent upward. No bait is used, the jig being let down into the water and kept constantly in motion in imitation of a small fish. A squid will throw its long tentacles around the jig and immediately become caught in the pins, when it is dextrously hauled into the boat. Souids have a very unpleasant habit when being thus landed of discharging a stream of salt water into the faces of their captors, and this is almost instantly fol-lowed by a jet of a dirty, black, ink-like substance. As a matter of course this is decidedly disagreeable, even to a weather-beaten squid-fisher. Occasionally giant squids are caught, some specimens being so bulky as to furnish bait for two vessels— an amount equal to 60,000 or 70,000 of the

small variety. Salted clams are very frequently utilized for baiting purposes, and very often birds—such as the hagdon or great puffin, noddy and stormy petrel—serve the same purpose. These birds are caught with a hook and line, and upon being pulled on board are killed with clubs. When bait runs short, fish entrails—called "gurry" by the fishermen—are called into requisition. In addition to these lady-fish, lant, fish eggs. aletion to these lady-fish, lant, fish eggs, ale-wives, porgies, pickled menhaden, yellow fish and salmon are used by both the trawlers and hand-line fishers on the banks.

Prejudice Against Actors.

New York Telegram. "The old prejudice against the stage and against actors still exists to a very great degree," said an actor who arrived in this city from his season's tour the other day. 'I have met it this winter everywhere I have been. Whenever our company went | would suspend any other student sufficient to a new city or town we were stared at as | to expel them. Even being tardy at chapel to a new city or town we were stared at as though we were a crowd of curiosities from a dime museum, and the contemptuous tone in which people often referred to us as 'actors,' so loud that we could overhear what they said, was far from pleasant. Our profession has been diagraced by the conduct of members of the conduct cheap companies, whose rowdy ism has been regarded as typical of all their kind. Often after we have spent several days at a good hotel, the manager has expressed to us his surprise and gratitude at our good behavior, and has been quite taken aback when we have not shown a very profound appresion of his compliments.

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"Of course, the number of ill-behaved actors in comparison with the whole pro-fession is small, but they are able to bring discredit on the whole profession. It is strange to note the disrespect which even the scene shifters and other workmen about the theater have for us. Many of these hold an actor in great contempt Why this is I don't know. Of acting as an art they have no conception whatever. They regard it solely as a business, and a pretty poor one at that."

THE CHINESE EMPEROR

Personal Appearance of the New Ruler the Ancient Empire.

Illustrated American. On both sides of the hall, from the en trance to the foot of the dias, were range numbers of military officials of high rank, who stood silent and motionless with averted eyes. The magnificence of their attire contrasted strangely with the simplicity of the appearance of the young Emperor who rules a fourth of the human race, and whose features had never before been seen by white men nor by any others save the most exalted of his own subjects. The greatest curiosity had been felt in the diplomatic corps as to the appearance of the Emperor on account of the mystery that had surrounded his personality. Indeed, the desire to see what he looked like was. I believe, uppermost in the minds of all the foreigners, and minimized considerations more purely of state.
Whatever impression the "barbarians"
may have made on him, the idea
they carried away of the Emperor Kuang Heu is pleasing and a trifle pathetic, H has an air of exceeding intelligence and gentleness, but is somewhat frightened and melancholy looking. His face is pale and sad, and though it possesses an air of refinement and quiet dignity, it has none of

the force of his martial ancesters-nothing commanding or imperial-but is altogether mild, delicate and kind. He is essentially Manchu in features; his skin is strangely pallid in hue, which is no doubt accounted for by the rigidity of his life inside those forbidding walls, the absence of the ordinary pleasures and pursuits of his age, and the constant discharge of onerous, complicated and difficult duties of state which, it must be remembered, are, accord ing to imperial Chinese etiquette, mostly transacted between the hours of 6 in the morning. His face is oval-shaped, the chin very and narrow; the mouth sensitive, with thin, nervous lips; the nose well-shaped and straight; the eyebrows well-marked and arched; while the eyes are unusuall; large and mournful in expression. Hi forehead is well-shaped and broad, and his head is large—beyond the average. He seemed anxious, watchful and somewhat

nervous, and was far more over-come by the unusual experience than any of the others present. His dress was a long puce-colored silken robe, with a large golden dragon embroidered on the

breast, and smaller dragons on the shoulders. He sat cross-legged on the throne, and played nervously with his hands while the ordeal lasted. He wore nothing in the way of a crown or other emblem of his high office, his head covering being an ordinary Chinese official hat of felt, surmounted by a button of knotted crimson silk. WOMEN ARE SO FOOLISH,

Efforts of a Society Weman to Arrive at the Key to Base-Ball Slang. Columbus Post. "Charles." said a society woman on Broad street. "I wish you would not lecture me any more or give any long dissertations on the habit of women in using slang." "Why, why? What now-do you propos to eachew the horrible habit?" "That isn't exactly it, dear," said she and turned again to the paper she was

game of base-ball?" "Of course not. Why?"

"Then," said the good woman, innocently, "what does it mean by saying 'King Kelly is playing great ball this year?' Is the ball the same size of last year's?" "A sporting term, my dear; women don' understand these things.' "Oh! Well, tell me what it means by

saying, 'Corkhill smashed the ball square

on the nose?' Do they have portraits

painted on the balls?" "Don't ask such silly questions, madam." "Again, what does it mean by saying Latham had the bleachers with him." Was he doing a week's washing on the ball-"Seems to me, Mary, you're getting sillier every day"--"Again, Charles, what does it mean by

saying they 'had a rotten umpire?' What was the matter with him?" "Mary, are you getting to be a perfect "No no! I'm trying to get information out of what you men have written. Now

what does it mean by abusing the other club for half a column, then saying they were not in it at all? Is the whole thing a "I'm astounded!" howled Charles, leaping to his feet and kicking over his chair. You are demented, woman, perfectly

"Then what does it mean, Charles, by saying the home club had a cinch from the start, and knocked Smith out of the box' (Charles starts for the door): was there But Charles was gone. The foolish won an can't understand anything anyhow.

Must Pay the Fiddler.

Buffalo Commercial.

The Yale Faculty have dealt very severely with the sophomores who created a stampede in the Barnum's circus proces sion by firing torpedoes at the animals. In addition to being excluded from rooming on the campus next year they will all start next September with fifty-nine marks against them. Sixty marks net expel a man from college, and as only thirty marks are taken off each student's record this will give them absolutely no allowance against suspension, and will make conduct that

some Idnny things that had happened to

"I was in a town up in the interior of the State with a company a few years ago," said one, "and to bring the people into the theater we made arrangements with the village band to play outside for a half-

not only behaved and acted boisterously at | But there seemed to be no letting up on the all hours of the night, but they have depicions were aroused when I saw the drum coming in the second time. I took a look at the audience. The night was rather warm, and the windows in the rear of the hall had been opened for ventilation. I just chanced to see some one lowering a cornet tied to a rope to the pavement below, and, of course, I dropped to the whole thing. Every time a man with an instrument came in, he let some one below have it, and in that way a good many were get-ting in to see the show for nothing. I sup-pose there were thirty in the house who hadn't paid to get in. Pretty good scheme,

NO NEED OF A WIFE,

Housekeeping Proclivities of Certain Bachelo Young Men of Gotham. Springfield Republican.

An elderly country woman, who had York season, claims to have discovered one of the reasons "why girls do not marry. She says, "Right after Christmas, when cards came asking us to tea at Mr. V.'s rooms, I hesitated about accepting, but finally yielded and went. I felt for the poor fellow's natural perplexities and bought a bag of nice jumble's some lump sugar, and took a out of a tight place." he found, however, that this young man's apartments contained all the requisites for a "tea" and all preparations were complete and lavish, and there was no use for her extra spoons and jumbles. Her rossessions became burdensome. "While he talked to the girls I began looking around for some place to hide those cakes, and heard the spoons rattle in my pocket. With every survey that I took that paper bag grew bigger and the silver spoons jingled under the folds of my dress." She enumerates the splendors of the bric-a-brac and furniture in the corner and goes

"There in the corner stood the tea-table in all its glory, with Mr. V. hovering about it like a protecting spirit. He had a lady ostensibly presiding, but no old maid could have kept a sharper eye on the teacups. He discussed the different varieties of tea with warmth, defended the infusion process, gave his reasons for patronizing a par-ticular bakery, and in the meantime hand-ed round bonbons and salted almonds to his half dozen men and women guests. From confectionery the talk drifted to napery, and, with a glow of genuine pride, our entertainer exhibited a set of exquisite doillies, lately added to his linen closet. He advocated drawn work and the outline stitched in white floss as a rather superior style at afternoon functions, and then got on the subject of china, which was evidently his hobby. Each fragile cup and saucer was dilated upon in turn, the delicacy and the beauty of the porcelain nat-urally leading to the wholesale abuse of servants. Mr. V. and a man friend sitting near agreed that they never permitted Biddy to lay a finger on the properties of their pantry. They laundered every piece of china and plate personally to insure safe handling, and used only pure linen towels to avoid lint. As you may imagine, I sat aghast to hear such conversation between two bearded creatures, and was scarcely surprised afterward when a woman of the party ventured an opinion on the subject of sweeping to hear both of them summa-

rily suppress her." The host took the ladies about on a tour ci inspection of the apartments, where verything was found to be in the most perfect order, and the housekeeping of the host was complimented most heartily. But, to go on with the remarks of the country

"Since the first afternoon last winter. I have been to twenty teas of the same sort in as many different apartments. New York fairly swarms with this new type of humanity, and with each exhibition of its effeminacy I grow more disgusted. My girls are athletic, ride, swim, hunt and use the horizontal bar. Tell me, is this really a revolution of nature, as they say? If so the apartmental young man is a decided step toward a reversal of the sexes."

MATTER OF TASTE,

The Same People Who Rave Over Bootl

Scream at Farce-Comedy. San Francisco Chronicle.

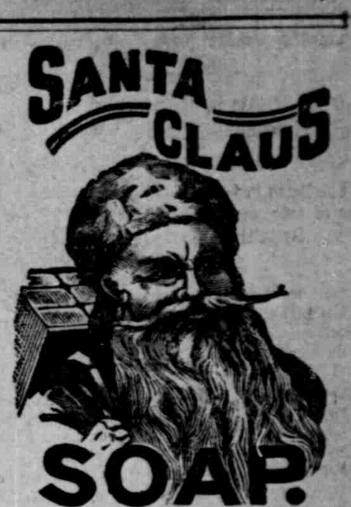
It is very hard to decide what is to be set down as the public taste. The public likes all sorts of things, and perhaps in going on the stage John L. Sullivan has done the public taste a service. He has satisfied a great deal of curiosity, which only wanted to see him and to get a glimpse of his action in a fight. After all there is a great deal in that. Nobody went to see an artist, and few more entertaining presentations have been made of a pugilist than Sullivan as an actor. A great many people will not now feel that desire to see him fight they had before they knew anything about him at all. But the stage has a hard time of it. When a notorious woman takes to it to try and make profit out of her notoriety sensitive the-ater-goers howl against the desecration. When a society lady poses as a star the profession yell, "What is the art coming to?" When Sollivan goes on in a play the drama is supposed to be dragged to the depths. When a farce-comedy comes the small intellectual class who can stand Shakspeare once a year and think that is enough are deeply offended; when they play comic operathe exhibition of the chorus is degrading art; when they play an intellectual play the house is three-quarters empty; when they play melodrama the people who don't know what they do want in the drama howl for something different. Everything howl for something different. Everything is objectionable on the stage except Shakspeare, and his admirers always kick about bad acting. And still the drama lives, the theaters make money, thanks to that varied public taste which every specialist wishes to confine to harmony with his. Yes, it is more or less the same public after all that encore the music in comic opera language at John I. Salmusic in comic opera, laugh at John L. Sullivan, scream over farce-comedy and call out Edwin Booth and crown him with

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